Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 01 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 02 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 01 Jun 2023 at 03:16 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for dry settled weather over the next few days, but lower for cloud cover, particularly overnight.

Headline for Thursday 01 Jun 2023: Early low cloud clearing from the east, otherwise another sunny day for most ranges.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 01 Jun 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

Forecast for Thursday 01 Jun 2023

Weather: Cloud across the Cairngorms will lift and break during the morning, otherwise a fine day across the Northern Grampians with plenty of sunshine.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%, but locally 10% at first across the Cairngorms, although cloud mostly below 900 metres.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud at first across Cairngorms, bases 400-500m, but highest summits should remain clear, just above the inversion. Largely clear of cloud to the west of the A9. Visibilities generally good or very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	13/16 N	10/14 N	7/11 NE	6/10 NE	6/9 SE	5/8 SE	5/7 S
900	10/13 NE	10/14 NE	9/13 NE	9/14 NE	7/10 E	4/6 S	3/5 SW
600	8/10 NE	8/11 NE	8/13 NE	8/13 NE	8/12 NE	5/8 S	3/4 SW
300	5/9 NE	6/11 NE	7/14 NE	7/14 NE	8/15 NE	4/7 NE	3/5 S
Glen	3/8 NE	5/10 NE	6/12 NE	6/12 NE	5/12 NE	3/8 N	1/4 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	3/-1	4/0	7/5	9/7	8/6	5/3	5/4
900	5/1	5/2	8/6	11/9	11/9	8/7	7/6
600	6/3	7/5	10/9	13/11	13/11	10/9	8/7
300	8/7	10/8	13/11	15/13	13/12	9/8	6/5
Glen	7/6	10/9	14/12	16/14	14/13	9/8	4/4
Freezing Level*	2400m	2300m	1700m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Risk of sunburn and dehydration in the strong sunshine.

Forecast for Friday 02 Jun 2023
Weather: Perhaps some patchy low cloud during the early hours, but this soon clearing during the morning, then dry with sunny spells and just some fair weather cloud during the afternoon.

Maximum wind: Variable 5-10 mph

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%, with any patchy cloud at first mostly below 800m.

Low cloud and visibility: Perhaps some patchy cloud developing during the early hours, bases 300-500m, but higher summits should remain clear above the inversion, and this will soon clear during the morning. Visibilities generally good or very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to 20 Celsius in the afternoon.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius rising to plus 10 Celsius.
Freezing level: Well above the summits.

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